

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

SHIGERU NAKAGAWA et al.

Application No.: 10/713,777

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For: OPTICAL MODULE AND
OPTICAL COMMUNICATION
SYSTEM

Customer No.: 20350

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Examiner: BOLDA, ERIC L.

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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF
REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

and

AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE OF
ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.312

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Commissioner:

In response to the Examiner's Amendment mailed February 17, 2010, please amend the Application as follows under the auspices of 37 CFR § 1.111(c). Please note the following further amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.